

## Two Area 5 Repeaters Down

On January 27, 2014, SKYWARN announced a temporary suspension of operations on the 146.85 W4POX repeater in Portsmouth, VA due to repeater performance concerns. This action shifted our primary repeater assignment to the 145.33 W4VB repeater in Norfolk.

The 146.97 W4KXV repeater in Virginia Beach is also temporarily off the air. The '97 repeater has been an infrequently used subnet repeater for Area 5 over the last several years.

Until one of these repeaters returns to service, this leaves the W4VB repeater network as our SKYWARN radio infrastructure in Area 5.

A full list of Area 5 frequencies can be found on the [Area 5 Information](#) page.